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1		TD	Social Serv.	Liaison to county social services	CARES	CARES and GAIL staff interact regularly with County Social Services on client issues, especially regarding access to County services and needs of vulnerable clients. Staff attend County meetings, such as the Homeless Services Partnership meetings. CARES and GAIL staff also have relationships with the County's Department of Family Services (DFS). The GAIL program maintains a close relationship with the Department of Aging and works with them to address client's needs.
2	2	TD	Social Serv.	Look to other cities for existing strategies	CARES	CARES Director is a member of the Maryland Association of Youth Services Bureaus and speaks with the other bureau directors about services provided on a regular basis. Director also receives info from the National League of Cities' and has participated in tele-conferences offered by NLC.
3	4	TD	Social Serv.	City's involvement in required student community service hours	CARES	The City has a list of service hour opportunities in the Greenbelt area. We share these opportunities with youth and parents upon request.

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1		TD	PCD	Can the City purchase Roosevelt Center	CM	Yes, if the owner was willing to sell. The assessed value of the commercial property is just over \$1 Million and the purchase price would likely be much higher.
1		TD	PCD	City should consider suggestions of Greener Greenbelt report	CM	The City will consider these suggestions.
1		TD	Social Serv.	Tenant's association (Springhill Lake)	CM	New resident's group has formed and is meeting monthly.
1		TD	General	City should facilitate citizen group at Springhill Lake	CM	New resident's group has formed and is meeting monthly.
1		TD	General	Work with school board to: - Improve Greenbelt Middle School	CM	A new middle school is being built.
2	1	TD	PCD	Make sure traffic signals are phased to ease congestion	CM	Request made to SHA on 5/26/09. SHA responded on 6/10/09 they will investigate and correct any problems.
2	2	TD	PCD	Add turn lane from southbound Parkway to allow free turn onto Southway	CM	National Park Service advised 4/6/09 and 6/3/09.
2	2	TD	PCD	How can the citizens be empowered and act to increase the city's interest	CM	Citizens can involve themselves in various advisory groups and community organizations. They can monitor City issues by viewing meetings, reading local newspapers and reviewing City publications.
2	2	TD	PCD	BARC/Goddard lacks pedestrian/bicycle connections to Greenbelt	CM	The City continues to discuss with BARC/Goddard.
2	3	TD	PCD	Investigate co-op farming at BARC; grow food locally	CM	Idea shared with BARC on 6/5/09.
2	4	TD	PCD	Relocate Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department to Greenbelt Road - then existing building could be redeveloped (social services?)	CM	A new fire station is included in the County's Master Plan, but will not likely occur until after 2014. The preferred location is Greenbelt Road.
2	4	TD	PCD	Double-right from southbound 201 onto westbound 193, then onto Edmonston Road is dangerous.	CM	Comment shared with SHA on 5/26/09. SHA studied the intersection and reviewed crash data. They responded on 7/28/09 that no modifications are needed at this time.
2	4	TD	PCD	Post links to county planning board/M-NCPPC site	CM	The City's website contains a link to the MNCPPC site.
2	1	TD	PCD	Change relocation of voting locations from outside Greenbelt. Greenbelters should vote in Greenbelt.	CM	All Greenbelters vote at a location that is within the City of Greenbelt.
2	1	TD	General	At-large vs. Districts – City put out information regarding At-Large elections	CM	Currently being discussed as part of voting reform issue.
2	2	TD	General	City website needs to be updated more frequently	CM	The website is updated daily.
2	2	TD	General	News Review needs to cover all areas of City of Greenbelt	CM	The News Review regularly works to address this matter. Also, they are an independent publication, not subject to City control.
2	2	TD	General	How does City affect a positive result for Prince George's Hospital	CM	This is a complicated and difficult issue which is well outside the City's control. Council and staff will continue to monitor and communicate with County and State leaders as appropriate.
2	3	TD	General	(Website) – provide links to community groups	CM	The City's website contains links to community groups.
2	3	TD	General	Google search – should be easier to find City's website	CM	The City's website is the second item listed when "City of Greenbelt" is googled.
2	4	TD	General	Meet with Ingrid Turner and Paul Pinsky regarding the Greenbelt Middle School Renovation	CM	City Council and City staff have met with County & State Officials on several occasions re: plans for the new middle school.

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2	3	TD	Social Serv.	Greenbelt more active in Middle School to improve its outcomes	CM	ACE, CARES, Recreation and Police Departments work with Greenbelt Middle School.
2		TD	Pub. Safety	Pepco response	CM	The City meets with Pepco officials and works on resident's behalf to resolve issues.
2	2	TD	Recreation	City work with Garden Club to establish the "Riderwood example" of use to increase number of participants – provide more efficient use	CM	The Garden Club is an independent group. The City provides assistance as requested by the Garden Club.
2	2	TD	Pub. Works	City should purchase recycled paper	CM	In progress.
2	3	TD	Pub. Works	Garden Club – more options, water access, senior gardens	CM	The Garden Club is an independent group.
3	1	TD	PCD	Improved library services – better book selection; Wi-Fi access. At current location library has limited geographic accessibility; increase use of library to ensure continued operation; look at library outreach (book mobile; Netflix type borrowing)	CM	The Library is independent of the City and part of a County-wide system.
3	1	TD	PCD	Sign at Baltimore-Washington Parkway off-ramp is confusing because arrows should be on the side of the sign which relates to the arrow direction; sign is difficult to read	CM	When the City replaces this sign, the arrows will be modified as requested.
3	3	TD	PCD	Street car/light rail on Rte. 1	CM	Route 1 is outside the City and this matter is beyond the City's purview. Suggestion shared with SHA on 5/26/09. SHA forwarded request to MTA.
3	3	TD	PCD	New deaf/blind signals on Greenbelt Road/Hanover Parkway are mistimed	CM	This issue has been raised previously and SHA has investigated. SHA reports signals are properly timed.
3	4	TD	PCD	Encourage AIMCO to sell to different groups/entities	CM	AIMCO sold property June 2008.
3	4	TD	PCD	Could City Council meetings be webcamed or archived for later viewing	CM	This began February 2009.
3	4	TD	PCD	Electronic version of News Review	CM	The News Review is available online.
3	4	TD	PCD	Could Giant training center at Springhill Lake be used for game room (?) – classes, community programs, youth activities	CM	Empirrian Village plans to use the former Giant location as a community building w/offices, laundry, exercise equipment, etc.
3	2	TD	General	Springhill Lake – Can City have a role in creating ownership opportunities?	CM	The City encouraged the creation of ownership units during discussion of the AIMCO redevelopment proposal.
3	2	TD	General	Greenbelt Alert is good service - Send reminders to citizens of the service	CM	Reminders are periodically published in the News Review and City Newsletter, distributed at Labor Day and listed on the City's website and Cable TV channels.
3	2	TD	General	Tornado sirens	CM	Sirens are being considered on a County and regional basis.
3	2	TD	General	Webcam for Council meetings – make available to residents who cannot attend	CM	Council meetings can be viewed on City's website as of February 2009.
3	2	TD	General	Desire for a follow-up meeting for residents to comment on results of the first three meetings	CM	Plan is to report periodically on progress being made and brief Council at a public meeting.
3	4	TD	Social Serv.	City working with Tenants' Association at Springhill Lake to address community needs/issues	CM	A new tenants association has formed. The City is providing appropriate assistance and support.
3		TD	Pub. Safety	Electronic notification system (cell phones/text messaging)	CM	The City has such a system called Greenbelt Alert. The FY 2010 IT Budget includes an objective to create email lists to communicate City information.

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3	3	TD	Pub. Works	Timing of Frankfort traffic signal. Light should turn green at same time as Hanover Parkway	CM	Request made to SHA on 5/26/09. SHA responded on 6/10/09 they will investigate and correct any problems.
3	4	TD	Pub. Works	ATHA signage should include Greenbelt East, Schrom Hills Park	CM	Not recommended by consultant.

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2	3	TD	PCD	Consider redesign of post office lot	PCD	Parking lot function is satisfactory. Unless there are changes in activities, there is no reason to modify use.
1		TD	PCD	Return Mack-Cali site to natural state	PCD	Site is developed consistent with Master Plan and zoning and major employer. This request is not fiscally practicable.
1		TD	General	Cannot walk between Greenbelt West and Historic Greenbelt	PCD	Pedestrian and Bicycle connections being studied by APB.
2	1	TD	PCD	Improve/reduce congestion at Metro Access Drive – address ASAP	PCD	A planned roundabout should address this issue, but construction has been delayed due to Greenbelt Station financial problems.
2	3	TD	PCD	\$25 fine not high enough to discourage violations of animal waste	PCD	Staff will be looking at comprehensive update (including fee adjustments) to Animal Control Code this year.
2	4	TD	PCD	Can mix uses be integrated in existing built areas?	PCD	It depends on the zoning, existing uses, infrastructure, etc. In general, a mix of land uses can be desirable.
2	1	TD	General	Crescent Road extended to connect Historic Greenbelt with Springhill Lake	PCD	This option was opposed by the City in the 1990 Greenbelt Sector Plan.
2	4	TD	General	Farmers market in Greenbelt – City help develop relationships with local farmers. Does Co-op have role?	PCD	Farmer's market underway. Co-Op has been involved.
2		TD	Pub. Safety	Parking enforcement	PCD	Parking Enforcement at full strength.
2		TD	Pub. Safety	Review fine structure for a code enforcement to keep properties up to par	PCD	Staff believes fines are appropriate due to progression in fines, ability to double fine, and \$1000 maximum set by State law.
2	2	TD	Pub. Works	Lake dredging	PCD	Being studied, but likely an expensive and challenging project.
2	3	TD	Pub. Works	Tell community stream groups about plans for Hillside outfall	PCD	Being done.
3	1	TD	PCD	Path to Schrom Hills Park from north is difficult	PCD	Pedestrian and Bicycle connections being studied by APB.
3	3	TD	PCD	Do a public presentation on current state of Greenbelt West development plans	PCD	Can occur when/if development efforts resume.
3	3	TD	PCD	Regularly monitor development and provide input	PCD	Currently being done on a regular basis.
3	3	TD	PCD	Greenway Center traffic patterns are confusing, dangerous, difficult within parking lot itself (by Safeway)	PCD	Parking lot circulation is difficult. However, unless there is a proposed change to the site plan, there is no opportunity to address this issue.
3	2	TD	General	Farmer's market that include items grown or made	PCD	Farmer's market underway.
3	2	TD	General	City should contact the County regarding "The Bus" service – i.e. lateness, allow boarding when buses are early. Calls do not affect a change	PCD	Monitored and Coordinated by the Planning Office.
3		TD	Pub. Safety	Lighting problems - 193 and 495 at underpass	PCD	Staff will contact SHA.
3		TD	Recreation	*Update directory board at Southway entrance and other main entrances	PCD	Underway as part of the City's Gateway Sign project.
3		TD	Recreation	Safe accessibility to Greenbelt National Park for pedestrians and bikers is needed	PCD	Pedestrian and Bicycle connections being studied by APB.

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2	2	TD	PCD	Work with who has been successful in other communities (College Park) to gain control over our destiny; has been accomplished elsewhere.	PCD	Greenbelt agreesively works to manage our destiny. We are precluded by State law from exercising planning & zoning authority.
3	3	TD	PCD	Bus stop location on Hanover Parkway near Post Office. Connections need to be checked	PCD	Pedestrian and Bicycle connections being studied by APB.
1		TD	PCD	Improve Ridge Road extension	PCD	Portion of road is privately owned and not open for public access.

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3	4	TD	PCD	Speeding, aggressive driving, violation of lane markings on Hanover Parkway from Spring Manor Drive to Good Luck Road	POLICE	The matter was referred to the Traffic Officer and the Patrol Commander for concentrated enforcement.

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1		TD	Pub. Safety	Parking/spaces – walkway from Community Center lot to municipal lot	PW	This walkway was designed for access using a parking lot line between two parking spaces. If a dedicated walkway is desired, all of the parking spaces would have to be blacked out and re-striped.
1		TD	Pub. Safety	Stop sign needed by Co-op, coming from old post office location (“Stop” is already painted on the street)	PW	A stop sign was installed at this location.
2	3	TD	PCD	Improve signage in rear (old post office) parking lot to reinforce one-way traffic flow	PW	Although the proper signage and painted arrows are in place to direct traffic, we will keep this suggestion in mind as we monitor the traffic flow in that area. Please note that the installation of a stop sign behind the Co-op has already been installed, which should help to reinforce traffic direction.
2	3	TD	PCD	Can sidewalks be widened in coordination with WSSC water main modernization; underground PEPCO lines at same time; can fiber optic extensions be made	PW	Sidewalks on City property could be widened, but there would be cost and landscape implications. Underground utilities & fibre-optic cables are under Pepco, Verizon & Comcast's purview. Utility undergrounding is very expensive and requires tremendous coordination and planning.
2	4	TD	PCD	Require commercial recycling	PW	This suggestion will be referred to the GreenAces Committee for discussion
2	3	TD	Pub. Works	Cell phone recycling	PW	In addition to the option of donating phones to charity organizations for emergency use, cell phones can also be recycled via Electronics Recycling at Public Works
2	3	TD	Pub. Works	Better snow removal at bus stops	PW	During snow events, the Department of Public Works' first priority is to clear the streets and sidewalks. Once this is completed, the next priority is to clear the bus stops. Depending on the severity of the storm, it may take the department longer to address the bus stops.
2	3	TD	Pub. Works	Publish and discuss geo-thermal hosting at Public Works	PW	A simple brochure has been prepared. Public Works has also conducted casual tours of the equipment and responded to citizen inquiries as received.
2	3	TD	Pub. Works	Trash cans in all playgrounds	PW	We will assess all playgrounds and install trash cans as needed.
2	4	TD	Pub. Works	Timers placed on watering – automatic shutoff	PW	We are looking at removing some of the existing irrigation systems if they are a substandard fit. We will then assess areas that may need irrigation and will replace with a timer/drip style system.



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2	4	TD	Pub. Works	Investigate use of bio-diesel/consider long-term costs	PW	Bio-fuels are still more expensive than diesel fuel. It has been our experience, through tests conducted with a State Vehicle Inspection Station, that the ultra-low sulphur diesel now used by the City produces emissions that are equal to or less than those produced by bio-diesel.
2	4	TD	Pub. Works	Expand recycling program to include fluorescents bulbs	PW	Electronics Recycling currently accepts compact fluorescent bulbs and fluorescent lamps up to four feet in length.
2	4	TD	Pub. Works	Program for citizen responsibility for watering trees	PW	This really needs to have more comprehensive training that will include tree installation and tree care. We have been sponsoring community forums and will more than likely utilize this format for citizen involvement with tree issues.
3		TD	Recreation	Greenbrier Park – clean up, remove dead limbs and undergrowth, trash	PW	We will schedule a comprehensive clean-up of the park for early winter.
3		TD	Recreation	Need clean rest rooms at the fields	PW	For fields other than Schrom Hills Park, at least one portable toilet is provided which is cleaned on a weekly basis. When notified of an unsanitary condition, an additional cleaning is scheduled.
3	2	TD	Pub. Works	Can we recover methane from former city landfill?	PW	The former landfill is a relatively small area and it would not be cost effective to implement methane recovery.

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2	3	TD	Recreation	Meet all standard for ball fields including design, maintenance and support fixtures (bleachers, scoreboards, etc.)	REC	Staff will work to meet required standards for ball fields with regard to future projects. However, given the current fiscal situation, funds are not currently available for the purchase and installation of suggested items such as new bleachers, scoreboards, etc.
1		TD	Recreation	Swim team practice time: feasibility of increase and evening hours in summer in recognition of teen	REC	Staff believes the current balance that has been struck for use by the GMST is appropriate. We recognize the possible need, but the needs of other user groups must be provided for as well.
1		TD	General	Promote City initiative for Spanish language classes – basic communication	REC	Staff from the City departments took a Command Spanish class provided by PGCC. Recreation Department is also looking into offering English as a second language class to be offered to the public.
2	4	TD	Social Serv.	Pool scholarships for kids for families	REC	In FY 2010, \$10,000 was budgeted to fund a comprehensive departmental scholarship program. Information is being gathered from other agencies including the M-NCPPC and other municipalities on similar program policies.
2	2	TD	Recreation	Look into feasibility of a sponsor or scholarship program for low income youth for swimming	REC	See above.
2		TD	Pub. Safety	Cultural diversity awareness events city-wide	CM & REC	Staff has been working closely throughout the City with the following groups and programs: Empirian Village, CampFire USA and M-NCPPC for the Teen Adventure program; Get Active Greenbelt at Green Ridge house; several Artful Afternoon's are geared towards a specific culture (ie. Eastern European vocal music performance and hands-on traditional crafts with the Orfeia Ensemble); an Arts music 'drum circle' educating participants on African Heritage on July 4 <sup>th</sup> ; began advertising and offering bi-lingual classes this spring; and of course the Artful Bound enrichment programs offered to the schools.